

# HOWARD COUNTY POLICE DEPARTMENT

## NOW TESTING FOR ENTRY-LEVEL POLICE OFFICER

- These are the final test dates for Academy Class 44, to be held in Fall 2019 -

| <u>Date</u>                   | <u>Time</u> | <u>Test</u>                | <u>Location</u>                                      |
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| April 23 <sup>rd</sup> , 2019 | 9:00 a.m.   | Written and physical tests | James N. Robey<br>Public Safety Training<br>Center   |
| May 11 <sup>th</sup> , 2019   | 9:00 a.m.   | Written and physical tests | 2200 Scott Wheeler Drive<br>Marriottsville, MD 21104 |

- **Applicants must bring a valid photo ID**
- **A physician's authorization form is required for physical ability testing**
- **For those who have already passed the written exam and only need to take the physical ability test, physical testing begins promptly at 9:00 a.m.**
- **Written test scores are valid for six months or until the next Academy is selected**
- **In case of inclement weather - call 410-313-3200 for testing status**

## STARTING SALARY: \$55,973

**To be considered for employment, applicants must meet the following standards:**

- Be a United States citizen
- Possess a valid driver's license
- Be age 21 by the swearing-in ceremony (post-academy)
- Have 60 college credits at the time of hire, or two years of active duty military service, or a minimum of two years full-time out-of-state police service
- Have no felony or serious misdemeanor convictions

### **Excellent benefits and opportunities:**

- Paid Academy Training
- Health, dental and life insurance
- Vacation, disability and personal leave
- Uniform/equipment supplied with free dry-cleaning service
- Take home vehicle for in-county residents
- Twelve-hour permanent patrol shifts
  - Day shift cycle: 2 on, 3 off; 2 on, 2 off; 3 on, 2 off
  - Night shift cycle: 3 on, 3 off
- 6%-night shift differential pay (up to \$3,358 annually)
- Four hours overtime XL per pay period (Up to \$4,198 annually)
- Three hours minimum overtime for off-duty court appearances
- Multi-lingual specialty pay (Up to \$3,000 annually upon certification)
- Specialty pay to officers assigned to Command Post, Computer Operations Section, Criminal Investigations Bureau, Drug Recognition Experts, Education and Training Division, Hostage Negotiation, Honor Guard, Intoximeter Operators, and Special Operations Bureau
- Competitive retirement plan (20 years at 50%, 25 years at 75%, 30 years at 80%)



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